



	FAIRFAX COUNTY FIRE AND RESCUE PREVENTION DIVISION POLICIES, OPERAITONS AND PROCEDURES	EPR-016
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	SUBJECT: FIRE DEPARTMENT ACCESS SYSTEM	

TO: Engineers, Designers & Architects

The Fairfax County Fire Prevention Code, F-504.10, requires the installation of an approved emergency building with the exception of single family dwellings. Key boxes manufactured by the Knox and Supra companies are currently approved.

- The key boxes must be installed at the primary fire department entrance (main entrance or entrance nearest to the fire control room).
- The key boxes must be visible and accessible.
- The key boxes must be installed 42 inches to 54 inches above finished grade.
- Boxes shall be installed prior to occupancy.

Literature on the boxes can be obtained from the Fire Prevention Division Revenue & Records Branch at (703) 246-4800, or picked up at the main reception area located at 4100 Chain Bridge Road 3rd Floor Fairfax, Virginia.

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